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Federal Opportunities

Parent Information and Training Program. The Department of Education announces funds to establish programs to provide training and information to enable individuals with disabilities. parents, family members, guardians, and advocates to participant more effectively with professionals in meeting the vocational, independent living, and rehabilitation needs of individuals with disabilities. Eligible applicants include nonprofit organizations that meet the requirements in section 303 (c) (4) of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973. The deadline date is August 1, 2002. Approximately \$700,000 is available to fund 7 awards ranging from \$95,000 to \$105,000. For further information contact Joyce Libby, 202 205-5392, or edpubs@inet.ed.gov Also see: http://www.ed.gov/pubs/edpubs.html.

Parent Information and Training Program—Technical Assistance. The Department of Education announces funds to provide coordination and technical assistance to the Parent Information and Training Projects that assist individuals with disabilities, parents, family members, guardians, advocates or representatives of individuals with disabilities. Eligible applicants include nonprofit organizations that, to the extent practicable, are the training and information centers. The deadline is August 1, 2002. Approximately \$100,000 is available to fund one award. For further information contact Joyce Libby, 202 205-5392, or edpubs@inet.ed.gov Also see: http://www.ed.gov/pubs/edpubs.html.

Centers for Independent Living—Training and Technical Assistance Centers. The Department of Education announces funds to provide training and technical assistance with respect to planning,

developing, conducting, administering, and evaluating centers for independent living to entities authorized under title VII of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973. The deadline is August 1, 2002. Approximately \$1,237,500 is available to fund 1–2 awards, ranging from \$618,750 to \$1,237,500. For further information contact James Billy, 202 205-9362 or email at edgpubs@inet.ed.gov. Also see: http://www.ed.gov/pubs/edpubs.html.

State Data Infrastructure Program. The Department of Health and Human Services announces funds to assist states, in collaboration with each other and with the Center for Substance Abuse Treatment (CSAT), to develop an administrative data infrastructure for collecting, reporting and relating information. Eligible applicants are limited to States, including the District of Columbia. The deadline is July 24th, 2002. Approximately \$5 Million is available. Annual awards will be approximately \$100,000 in total cost. For further information contact Richard Thoreson, Tel: 301 443-5325; Email: rthoreso@samhsa.gov. This grant is subject to "Intergovernmental Review" under EO 12372.

State Treatment Needs Assessment Program (STNAP). The Department of Health and Human Services announces funds to develop and implement STNAP's. Grants will provide assistance to States to conduct evaluations of their substance abuse treatment services needs and to determine ways to improve the availability and quality of treatment services. Eligible applicants are States, including the District of Columbia. The deadline is July 24th, 2002. Approximately \$3 Million is available to fund 10-12 awards annually not to exceed \$300,000 in total cost. Awards may be requested for up to 3 years. For



further information contact Nita Fleagle, Tel: 301 443-8572; Email: nfleagle@samhsa.gov. This grant is subject to "Intergovernmental Review" under EO 12372.

Performance Outcome Measures Project. The Department of Health and Human Services announces funds to provide 1) State-wide surveys of program performance with State Agencies on Aging (SAA), and 2) The continued development of performance outcome measures survey instruments. Eligibility is limited to State Agencies on Aging. The deadline is July 29th, 2002. Administration on Aging (AoA) expects to enter into cooperative agreements at a federal share of \$50.000 for one year with up to 15 SAAs for Part I and approximately \$30,000 for 1 year with up to 10 SAAs is available for Part II. For further information contact David Bunoski, Tel: 202 260-0669. Also see http://www.aoa.gov/egrants. This grant is subject to "Intergovernmental Review" under EO 12372.

State Assessment Initiatives. The Department of Health and Human Services announces funds for assessment initiatives in two parts: Part A-- Building new assessment capability; Part B-- Evaluating and institutionalizing existing assessment capability and disseminating model assessment methods, systems and approaches to other states. Eligible applicants limited to health departments of States or their bonafide agents, specifically the District of Columbia. The deadline is July 19th, 2002. Approximately \$500,000 is available to fund 3 - 4 awards under Part A. ranging from \$125,000 to \$175,000. Approximately \$1,000,000 is available to fund 4 to 5 awards, ranging from \$200,000 to \$275,000 under Part B. For further information contact Mattie B. Jackson, Tel: 770 488-2696; Email: mij3@cdc.gov. This grant is subject to "Intergovernmental Review" under EO 12372.

Population-based Research in Attention-Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD). The Department of Health and Human Services announces funds to support research in ADHD and the exploration of other health conditions and health risk behaviors of children and adolescents with the disorder. Eligible applicants include public and nonprofit organizations, governments and their agencies; universities, colleges, technical schools, research institutions, hospitals, community-based and faith-based organizations. The deadline is August 2, 20002.

Approximately \$500,000 is available to fund 2 awards; estimated amount of each award is \$250,000. For further information contact Sherly Heard, 770 488-2723;: SLH3@CDC.GOV. This grant is subject to "Intergovernmental Review" under EO 12372.

Prevalence of Multiple Sclerosis and Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis in Communities Living Around Hazardous Waste Sites. The Department of Health and Human Services announces funds to conduct research to determine the prevalence of MS and ALS among individuals in specific communities near sources of hazardous substances. Assistance will be provided to health departments of States or their bona-fide agents, including the District of Columbia. The deadline is July 10, 2002. Approximately \$450,000 is available to fund 6 awards. For further information contact Edna Green, Tel: 770 488-2743; Email: ecg4@cdc.gov. This grant is subject to "Intergovernmental Review" under EO 12372.

Asthma and Hazardous Substance, Applied Research and Development. The Department of Health and Human Services announces funds for a cooperative agreement program to conduct research on the impact of hazardous substances on asthma. Eligible applicants limited to public health agencies of States or their bona-fide agents or instrumentalities, including the District of Columbia. The deadline is July 30, 2002. Approximately \$250,000 is available to fund 2 to 3 awards, ranging from \$80,000 to \$120,000. For further information contact Edna Green, Tel: 770 488-2743, Email: ecg4@cdc.gov. This grant is subject to "Intergovernmental Review" under EO 12372.

The National Endowment for the Arts offers grants for arts education programs that address children and youth in the general age range of early childhood through age 18 years, both in school and outside the regular school day and year. Grants are offered to early childhood, school-based, community-based, nonprofit organizations and units of state or local governments. The deadline is August 12, 2002. See the Arts Endowment Website for complete grant guidelines and additional information: http://www.nea.gov/guide/ArtsLearning03/Alindex.html.



Foundation Opportunities

Help Us Help Foundation assists K-12 public schools and youth organizations in economically challenged communities to obtain information technology tools. Grants of computer equipment and software are available for schools and youth organizations that provide educational programs in low-income communities. The deadline is August 31, 2002. For complete guidelines and applications forms, see Help Us Help Foundation Web site. http://www.helpushelp.org

The Freddie Mac Foundation announces the addition of youth development as a funding area and their new outcome-based approach to grantmaking. The Foundation is accepting proposals from organizations serving young people through 18 years of age and is sponsoring two workshops for Executive Directors only. The workshops will introduce the outcome-based framework, provide an overview of approach, answer questions related to the application and present tools to support the achievement of desired result. The events are scheduled on June 27th and 28th, 2002 from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., at the Freddie Mac Foundation, 8200 Jones Branch Drive, McLean, VA. To RSVP send an email with name, title, organization, phone number, and preference workshop date to: freddiemac foundation@freddiemac.com. Confirmation will be sent via email.

Resources & Announcements

Free "Proposal Writing Workshop". The Office of Partnerships and Grants Development and the Foundation Center invites all Faith-based organizations, Pastors and Religious Leaders to attend a free workshop on the main components of writing a proposal. If you are writing your first proposal or need a refresher course, then plan to attend on Tuesday, July 23rd from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m., 441 4th Street, N.W., Room 1030-S, Washington, D.C. (Metro Red Line, Judiciary Square). To RSVP, call (202) 727-8900.

Community Research and Learning (CoRAL) Network. The CoRAL Network of Washington, DC, invites community-based organizations (CBOs) and researchers to join their clearinghouse website at www.coralnetwork.org. The CoRAL Network is a consortium of university and community members dedicated to advancing the social change missions of community-based organizations in Washington, DC. By mobilizing the resources and research assets of universities and other research institutions throughout the area to conduct community-based research, the CoRAL Network seeks to foster relationships between local universities and social change organizations. The CoRAL Network's objective is to connect CBOs with researchers who are interested in working on collaborative, community-based research projects in the DC Metro Area. For additional information, please visit the website at www.coralnetwork.org or contact the Network at 202-687-4413.

LAST CALL DC Agencies Present Online Tools for Businesses and Nonprofits. The Business Resource Center in collaboration with the DC Office of the Chief Technology Officer, the Mayor's Office of Partnerships and Grants Development, the DC Department of Consumer and Regulatory Affairs, and the DC Office of Tax and Revenue announce the last of series of "road shows" to showcase the new online planning, licensing, tax and information services for nonprofit and business organizations. The final event

is scheduled as follows: Hine Junior High School

Tuesday, June 25, 2002 at 6:30 pm 335 8th Street SE -- near 7th and Pennsylvania Ave. By Metro: Eastern Market

For more information on the DC Business Tools Roadshow, email brc.alert@dc.gov or call (202) 338-0775. Also http://www.brc.dc.gov/brchome.shtm.

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